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For: PROBE CARD HAVING GROUPS
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136, Applicant respectfully petitions the
Commissioner for a five-month extension of time extending to December 25, 2003,
the period for response to the Office communication dated June 25, 2003.

Please charge the fee of \$2010.00 for this extension to Deposit Account
No. 50-1314. The responsive papers are attached.

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No. 50-1314. A copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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